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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, before line 1, delete "DESCRIPTION" and after the
title insert as a centered heading:

~~BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION~~

Page 2, line 24, insert a centered heading:

~~SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION~~

Page 5, line 17, insert as a centered heading:

~~BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS~~

Page 6, line 4, insert as a centered heading:

~~DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS~~